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The Dispatch is glad to give prominence to this article from Mr. Lincoln's home town:

(Thief River Falls News Press)

Citizens as a whole were surprised Wednesday when it became known that Fred T. Lincoln, secretary of the Commercial club had decided to leave Thief River Falls and go to Brainerd. Expressions of regret were heard on every side, but all knew that it meant a step higher for Mr. Lincoln.

Since coming to this city from Grand Forks, Mr. Lincoln has made many friends and has done exceptionally good work here. He has done much in shaping the affairs of the club and those with whom he has been associated will miss his services in many ways in the months to come.

A community spirit has at all times been fostered by the genial secretary and every where one turns can see the results of his endeavors. The city today is united in the great purpose of building up the country jointly with the city.

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(By United Press)

Rome, Sept. 30.—The proper reply to Germany, in view of Von Hollweg's speech before the reichstag, was the newspaper characterization of the statement of Lloyd George to the United Press that England was determined to carry the war to a knockout.

Allies Conference is Postponed 'till Spring

(By United Press)

Rome, Sept. 30.—The interparliamentary conference due to be held here in October has been postponed until spring and will then be held in London. It is understood that the allies will discuss more stringent measures for cutting the Teutons off from outside communication and are already discussing with neutrals such tentative plans.

Manchester Guardian Reproves Lloyd George

(By United Press)

London, Sept. 30.—The Manchester Guardian, liberal, reproved Lloyd George for his United Press interview wherein he said that war must go on to a knockout. This is the first influential paper contradicting George, and said there was no reason why England should be unwilling to listen to peace suggestions at the proper time.

Hollweg Faces Members That Criticized Him

(By United Press)

Berlin, Sept. 30.—Secretary Von Hollweg met the budget committee of the Reichstag in a secret session bearing upon the future conduct of the war and here faced the members who criticized him for his failure to wage a more energetic warfare on England and also on the submarine issue.

FLYING CORPS JOIN ALLIES

(By United Press)

Athens, Sept. 30.—The entire Greek flying corps has joined the allied corps.

Great British and French Leaders of War in Conference



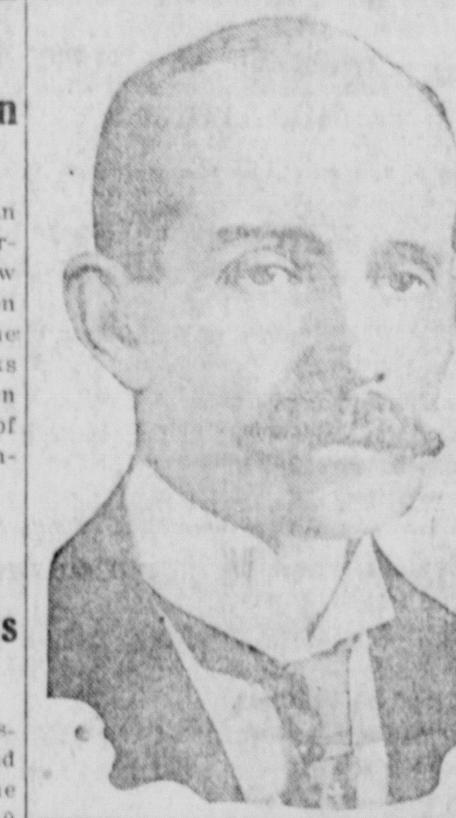
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LORD ROBERT CECIL.

Replies to Speech of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg.



CECIL IN ANSWER TO CHancellor

Declares Berlin Has Abandoned Its Plans of Conquest.

SUPREMACY NOT ENGLISH AIM

British War Trade Minister Says Von Bethmann-Hollweg's Speech Is Significant in Omissions—Notes That German Failed to Mention Belgium.

London, Sept. 30.—Germany has abandoned her talk of complete victory, Lord Robert Cecil, British minister of war trade, said in reference to Imperial Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg's speech in the reichstag.

Lord Robert declared, in an interview that the chancellor's utterance was more significant for the things it failed to mention than for what it said. He took occasion to deny that England's ambition was commercial supremacy of the world.

Tone Has Changed.

"There is very definite change in the tone of the speech over the previous efforts of the chancellor," Lord Robert said. "The talk of a complete German victory is entirely absent. Another remarkable thing was that there was not a word about Belgium.

The significance of this is probably that he was unable to say anything about Belgium, as his listeners can be assumed to be the whole world, and he was bound to offend a section of it if Belgium was mentioned.

If he attempted to justify German occupation, he would offend the best of all neutral opinion, and equally he would offend his own people if he expressed a determination to give up that country.

"Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg's denunciation of England, while violent, contained nothing really new. It was merely the old trick of attempting to convince our allies that we are trading on their efforts and bleeding them to death in the process.

Not Seeking World Rule.

"Recent events on the Somme ought to convince him of his error. The idea that we want world supremacy is fantastic.

You will note that in this race for commercial supremacy England is the chief opponent to be faced, the United States being left out altogether.

"Any one can readily see that we made no preparation for any such contest for world supremacy.

"I note in the portion of the speech devoted to efforts for peace that my name is used, but I cannot understand his complaint. That Germany was once ready for peace means nothing, as naturally everybody is always ready for peace on his own terms.

"The Germans are ready, not for peace, but for a truce to enable them to prepare to enforce their own terms on the world. There will be no peace as long as Germany is content to be ruled by a military caste."

Goes 20,000 Miles

(By United Press)

Hornell, Sept. 30.—Charles E. Hughes finished his 20 thousand mile presidential campaign, and established a record, which is not finished. It is estimated that in the campaign he talked to a million and a half voters.

ALLIES CAPTURE MORE THAN GERMANS IN LESS TIME

(By United Press)

Grand Headquarters French Armies, Sept. 30.—In the first 13 weeks of the Somme offensive the allies captured more ground than the Germans took in six months at Verdun, reconquering 285 square kilometers, or 92 square miles, of French territory. This is 15 square kilometers more than the Germans took at Verdun.

TEUTONS DEFEAT RUMANIANS

(By United Press)

Berlin, Sept. 30.—An official statement is to the effect that the Teutons severely defeated the Rumanians that occupied Hermannstadt, the former capital of Transylvania. The encircling attack drove the Rumanians south. Part of the Rumanians were annihilated and the others fleeing in disorder.

FRENCH GAIN GROUND

(By United Press)

Paris, Sept. 30.—An official statement says that the French have gained some ground north of Rancourt last night. Rain storms hindered the operations in other parts of the Somme front.

BANDITS GET \$9,000 IN CANADIAN BANK

Moose Jaw, Sask., Sept. 30.—Four robbers entered the village of Caron, eighteen miles west of here, cut all telegraph and telephone wires into the town, overpowered the watchman in the Bank of Hamilton, blew open the safe and escaped with \$9,000, according to reports brought here. No trace of the robbers has been found.

OFFER REWARDS OF \$4,000

For Capture of Michigan Central Train Robbers.

Detroit, Sept. 30.—Postoffice officials and officers of the Michigan Central railroad announced here that rewards totaling \$4,000 will be paid for the capture of the bandits who on Wednesday night held up the New York-Chicago express, a Michigan Central, ten miles from Detroit. The robbers escaped with two packages of registered mail.

No estimate of the value of the mail taken has been announced. It is believed, however, that the amount did not exceed \$2,000.

Girl Shoots Montana Politician.

Thompson Falls, Mont., Sept. 30.—A. C. Thomas, chairman of the Republican central committee of Sanders county, died in a hospital at Missoula from a pistol shot fired by Miss Edith Colby, a reporter on a local paper. Miss Colby is in jail. Thomas died without making any statement regarding the shooting. Senator Edward Donlan of Missoula, a friend of Thomas, said the affair was the result of a long political fight.

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NEW YORK FACES A FAMINE IN MILK

New York, Sept. 30.—Three of the largest milk distributing companies in this city admitted that after today, when their contracts with dairymen expire, they will be unable to supply their customers.

They predicted a milk famine in the city before the end of next week unless means are found to bring the farmers and dealers together.

The supply available will no more than supply the needs of babies and the sick in hospitals, they said.

The situation is the result of the differences between city dealers and the Dairymen's league, an organization of farmers who supply the city with milk.

The league, for which John J. Dillon, state commissioner of foods and markets, is acting as agent, demands 1 cent a quart more than the dealers have been paying under the contracts.

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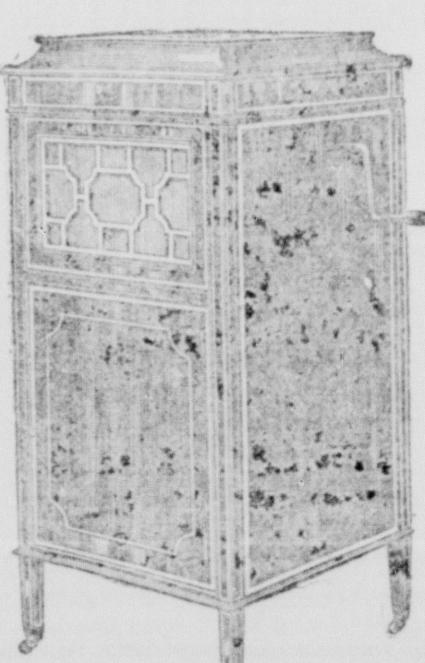
The Irony of Fate.

"Speaking of the irony of fate"—"Well?"

I know an artist who earns money to pay his divorced wife alimony by drawing Cupids."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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Housewives



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WOMAN'S REALM

DOUBLE WEDDING WAS CELEBRATED

George A. Tracy and Miss Agnes A. Swanson Married on Friday Evening

REV. R. E. CODY, THE MINISTER

Clyde MacDonald and Miss Mabel L. Johnson were Married at the Same Time

A double wedding occurred at 9:30 last evening at the home of Rev. R. E. Cody, 25 Kingwood Street. George A. Tracy and Miss Agnes A. Swanson and Clyde MacDonald and Miss Mabel Lydia Johnson stood together while the short ring service was used by Rev. Cody, joining each couple in the sacred marriage bond. So secret had their plans been kept that very few of the most intimate friends of these widely known and popular young people of Brainerd had even suspected the time appointed for their marriage.

George A. Tracy is an ambitious young man who is building up a splendid business in Brainerd in life and fire insurance. Miss Swanson is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Swanson of 519 South Ninth street and is a graduate of the local high school in the class of 1915. Both of these young people are very active workers in the First Baptist church.

Mr. MacDonald is a blacksmith in Northern Pacific shops and is well and favorably known among a wide circle of friends. Miss Johnson is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson, 1003 Fourth Avenue Northeast, and has been for a number of years the efficient and trusted stenographer and office attendant for Dr. R. A. Beise.

Both couples took the early morning trains for short wedding trips and will soon return to make Brainerd their permanent place of residence. A host of friends will wish them great joy in their married life.

Marriage Licenses
Sept. 19—Victor Bergstrom and Ellen Lundgren.

Sept. 23—Alfred Lawrence Dahl and May Hazel Dade.

Sept. 23—John Maki and Esther Tawrie.

Sept. 25—Lewis E. Dunn and Maudie E. Cullen.

Sept. 25—Roy H. Jones and Ida G. Olson.

For Miss Hilda Johnson

Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Long entertained Friday evening in honor of Miss Hilda Johnson who leaves next Monday to take up training in the Ashbury Methodist hospital at Minneapolis.

The evening was spent in games and musical numbers. Morris D. Folsom and Miss Hannah Swanson delighted the guests with several piano and vocal numbers.

Hilda Swanson was chief joy maker of the evening. Miss Johnson was presented with a beautiful hand mirror as a remembrance from her friends.

Refreshments were served, the guests numbering twenty.

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FIRST CLASS IN TEACHER TRAINING

To be Graduated at the First Baptist Church on Sunday Evening, October 1st

FOUR MEMBERS IN THE CLASS

Rev. R. E. Cody to Preach Graduating Sermon, Dr. Joseph Nicholson to Present Diplomas

The first class in Crow Wing county in the advanced course of teacher training in Sunday school work will be graduated Sunday evening, Oct. 1, at the First Baptist church. There are four in the class who have successfully completed two year's study according to the State Sunday School association requirements under the instruction of Mrs. Armor E. Thayer, who has taken the work with the class.

Members of Class

Miss Hannah Olson
Miss Mabel Olson
Mrs. LeRoy Sewell
Mrs. A. E. Thayer

The exercises will take the place of the regular church services on Sunday evening, commencing at 7:30 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. R. E. Cody will give the graduating address on the subject of "What is in Thine Hand?"

Dr. Joseph Nicholson, the president of the Crow Wing County Sunday School association, will present the diplomas. Special music will be given by the choir. The church will be appropriately decorated in the class colors.

CHOPPED FINGERS

Baby Girl of 3 Loses Tips of Three Fingers While Playing With an Axe

Dorothy Swanson, age 3, daughter of Martin Swanson, chopped off the ends of three fingers while playing with an axe.

Birthday Party

Miss Emma Jean Clarkson, 403 Third street, entertained Thursday afternoon in honor of her ninth birthday.

The home was profusely decorated with autumn leaves, golden glow and asparagus ferns and Miss Clarkson was the recipient of many gifts from her little friends.

Those present were Misses Ruth Beise, Lois Chadbourne, Virginia Casey, Gladys Anderson, Bernice Reid, Helen Lammon, Margaret Mooney, Gladys Crowell, Dorothy Deering, Virginia Long, Jessie Seelye, Myrtle Coppersmith, Allietta Coppersmith, Marion Batcheler, Florence LeBlanc, Iris Wolvert, Fern Lowe, Helen Bane, June Weaver, Masters Frank Bane, Joe Dunn, "Buster" Lowe, James Tinkelpaugh, Albert LeBlanc, "Teddy" Weaver, Hallett and Lee Clarkson.

The children were entertained from four until six with games after which a birthday supper was served.

The "grown ups" who assisted were Mrs. W. W. Bane, Mrs. Geo. Weaver and the Misses Anna Temple, Matie Temple and Florence Weaver.

Following the festivities the "grown ups" made up a picture show party and attended the "Best" theatre.

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Mrs. J. J. Undraitis was presented with a beautiful birthday cake and some silverware. A sumptuous luncheon was served.

Shirts For His Feet.

Mrs. L. and Mrs. D. are adjoining neighbors in a suburb near New York. Each had just finished hanging out her week's wash.

"I declare," remarked Mrs. L. as she hung up the last sock, "to look at all those stockings one would think that I washed for a centipede."

"Me, too," returned Mrs. D. "Just look at those shirts."—Christian Herald

Woman Victim in Blackmail Case, and Another Under Arrest in Chicago



MRS. REGINA S. KLIPPER

MRS. HELEN EVER

Mrs. Regina S. Klipper is a Philadelphia woman who said money was extorted from her in a New York hotel when she was found there with a man member of the extortion combination, which secret service agents say has operated in several large cities. She is relied on for testimony against several of those under arrest. Mrs. Helen Evers is under arrest in Chicago.

Masses Make Merry in the Public Places

BY MARGARET MASON

(Written for the United Press)

Sunday is fun day
Down in "B. A."
Out to the races
Off to the play,
On with the dance
Down with the te'.
Those who are straight laced
Best stay away.

Buenos Aires, Aug. 30 (By Mail)—Down here in the Argentine they remember the Sabbath day and keep it wholly for pleasure. In the early morning it is true the women go to Mass but the masses go to make merry in the public places. It is smart to drive or motor every fine Sunday morning at Palermo, the big city park of Buenos Aires. Then home for an elaborate luncheon of many courses which is called breakfast here. In the afternoon to dash off to the races or a boxing match is the racy or striking thing to do topped off with a cup of te' and a dance or two at the Plaza. After a late and lengthy dinner there is always Grand Opera or the theatre. So endeth the "day of rest."

No wonder some of the papers are too exhausted to get out a Monday edition and the Art Museau hasn't the strength to open its doors. When you do pray your way into the museum on Tuesday however, you feel there is not much loss to art by its Monday closing.

At present there is a modern exhibition of the works of Zito Cittadini in an annex of the museum. New York, I am sure, would go quite mad about Zito. Most anyone would have to appreciate him.

One tasty little bit of his conservatively dubbed "A Study" seems a hectic and sanguinary portrayal of an inflamed tonsil. Several small canvases however of sea and rocks in gorgeous coloring look, at a safe distance, strangely like what they are intended for.

Art may be long but Buenos Aires isn't exactly long on art. That is art as confined to painting.

Architecturally Buenos Aires ranks well and as to its monuments and groups of statuary, they put those sculpted monstrosities in most of our North American cities, especially New York, to shame. To be sure like anything else in Buenos Aires whether it be to eat or drink or to wear the sculptured art is imported but even so good taste has been shown in its selection.

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Here the Argentine woman comes into her own and in exquisite evening attire she sits for the nonce in regal equality with her lord and husband. Not only to the strains of Leoncavallo, Puccini and Strauss does the pulse of the Argentine respond. He avails himself of the syncopation of North American ragtime as it is mangled by every ubiquitous hotel and restaurant orchestra.

Toward the art of Isodore Duncan, however, Buenos Aires has remained unmoved.

This undraped nymph of Terpsichore, injured to the cold and drafts of many a continental stage, has been forced to retire shivering before the blighting frost of her reception here.

And while on the subject of the dance let me off immediately with this idea. The real Argentine Tango is danced only by the primitive and elemental natives outside or in the low dance halls and dives within the city. No cultured Argentine lady or gentleman could or would do this dance in its true elemental state. The Argentine tango that we know was evolved in Paris and owes little save its title to the original native dance. Because of the associations of the name when the dance was first introduced down here the smart set were very loathe to take it up and even at its height it was danced but mildly in B. A. in comparison with its vogue in Paris and the U. S. A. So here's where your long cherished delusion about the Argentine tango goes bang O.

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Le Duc produced his wife's nephew whom Mrs. Le Duc came here to visit. The nephew corroborated Mrs. Le Duc's statements. Detectives corrected previous assertions and now say that the button shoe found in Graver's room was not Mrs. Le Duc's. She wore lace shoes and both were laced to the top when she was picked up after the shooting.

Hotel clerks at Atlantic City were shown photographs of Mrs. Le Duc, but failed to identify her as the blonde woman registered as Mrs. Graver.

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The Irony of Fate.

"Speaking of the irony of fate"—"Well?"

"I know an artist who earns money to pay his divorced wife alimony by drawing Cupids."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

WOMAN'S REALM

DOUBLE WEDDING WAS CELEBRATED

George A. Tracy and Miss Agnes A. Swanson Married on Friday Evening

REV. R. E. CODY, THE MINISTER

Clyde MacDonald and Miss Mabel L. Johnson were Married at the Same Time

A double wedding occurred at 9:30 last evening at the home of Rev. R. E. Cody, 25 Kingwood Street.

George A. Tracy and Miss Agnes A. Swanson and Clyde MacDonald and Miss Mabel Lydia Johnson stood together while the short ring service was used by Rev. Cody, joining each couple in the sacred marriage bond. So secret had their plans been kept that very few of the most intimate friends of these widely known and popular young people of Brainerd had even suspected the time appointed for their marriage.

George A. Tracy is an ambitious young man who is building up a splendid business in Brainerd in life and fire insurance. Miss Swanson is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Swanson of 519 South Ninth street and is a graduate of the local high school in the class of 1915. Both of these young people are very active workers in the First Baptist church.

Mr. MacDonald is a blacksmith in Northern Pacific shops and is well and favorably known among a wide circle of friends. Miss Johnson is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson, 1003 Fourth Avenue Northeast, and has been for a number of years the efficient and trusted stenographer and office attendant for Dr. R. A. Beise.

Both couples took the early morning trains for short wedding trips and will soon return to make Brainerd their permanent place of residence. A host of friends will wish them great joy in their married life.

Marriage Licenses

Sept. 19—Victor Bergstrom and Ellen Lundgren.

Sept. 23—Alfred Lawrence Dahl and May Hazel Dade.

Sept. 23—John Maki and Esther Tahwie.

Sept. 25—Lewis E. Dunn and Maud E. Cullen.

Sept. 25—Roy H. Jones and Ida G. Olson.

For Miss Hilda Johnson

Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Long entertained Friday evening in honor of Miss Hilda Johnson who leaves next Monday to take up training in the Ashbury Methodist hospital at Minneapolis.

The evening was spent in games and musical numbers. Morris D. Folsom and Miss Hannah Swanson delighted the guests with several piano and vocal numbers.

Hilda Swanson was chief joy maker of the evening. Miss Johnson was presented with a beautiful hand mirror as a remembrance from her friends.

Refreshments were served, the guests numbering twenty.

"Nellie's" Baby Died

The baby fawn, born recently to one of the herd of deer on the J. M. Elder place at Gull lake, died this morning and all the hopes of raising the pretty little creature have gone glimmering.

FIRST CLASS IN TEACHER TRAINING

To be Graduated at the First Baptist Church on Sunday Evening, October 1st

FOUR MEMBERS IN THE CLASS

Rev. R. E. Cody to Preach Graduating Sermon, Dr. Joseph Nicholson to Present Diplomas

The first class in Crow Wing county in the advanced course of teacher training in Sunday school work will be graduated Sunday evening, Oct. 1, at the First Baptist church. There are four in the class who have successfully completed two year's study according to the State Sunday School association requirements under the instruction of Mrs. Armor E. Thayer, who has taken the work with the class.

Members of Class

Miss Hannah Olson
Miss Mabel Olson
Mrs. LeRoy Sewell
Mrs. A. E. Thayer

The exercises will take the place of the regular church services on Sunday evening, commencing at 7:30 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. R. E. Cody will give the graduating address on the subject of "What is in Thine Hand?"

Dr. Joseph Nicholson, the president of the Crow Wing County Sunday School association, will present the diplomas. Special music will be given by the choir. The church will be appropriately decorated in the class colors.

CHOPPED FINGERS

Baby Girl of 3 Loses Tips of Three Fingers While Playing With an Axe

Dorothy Swanson, age 3, daughter of Martin Swanson, chopped off the ends of three fingers while playing with an axe.

Birthday Party

Miss Emma Jean Clarkson, 403 Third street, entertained Thursday afternoon in honor of her ninth birthday.

The home was profusely decorated with autumn leaves, golden glow and asparagus ferns and Miss Clarkson was the recipient of many gifts from her little friends.

Those present were Misses Ruth Beise, Lois Chadbourne, Virginia Casey, Gladys Anderson, Bernice Reid, Helen Lammon, Margaret Mooney, Gladys Crowell, Dorothy Deering, Virginia Long, Jessie Seelye, Myrtle Coppersmith, Allie Coppersmith, Marion Batcheler, Florence LeBlanc, Iris Wolvert, Fern Lowe, Helen Bane, June Weaver, Masters Frank Bane, Joe Dunn, "Buster" Lowe, James Tinklepaugh, Albert LeBlanc, "Teddy" Weaver, Hallett and Lee Clarkson.

The children were entertained from four until six with games after which a birthday supper was served. The "grown ups" who assisted were Mrs. W. W. Bane, Mrs. Geo. Weaver and the Misses Anna Temple, Matie Temple and Florence Weaver.

Following the festivities the "grown ups" made up a picture show party and attended the "Best" theatre.

Presbyterian Social Club

The Presbyterian Social club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Robertson last evening. There was a representative number present and an excellent time was enjoyed by all. The program committee appointed for the ensuing six months is Mary Huchey, chairman, Dorothy Wright, Violet Crear, Dorothy Baker and Alfred Dillan.

Surprise Birthday Party

A surprise party was given Friday evening, Sept. 29, in honor of Mrs. J. J. Undraitis on the occasion of her birthday. 500 was played, after which dancing and singing was enjoyed by the friends who had assembled. Mrs. J. J. Undraitis was presented with a beautiful birthday cake and some silverware. A sumptuous luncheon was served.

Shirts For His Feet.

Mrs. L. and Mrs. D. are adjoining neighbors in suburb near New York. Each had just finished hanging out her week's wash.

"I declare," remarked Mrs. L. as she hung up the last sock, "to look at all those stockings one would think that I washed for a centipede."

"Me, too," returned Mrs. D. "Just look at those shirts."—Christian Herald

Woman Victim in Blackmail Case, and Another Under Arrest in Chicago



Mrs. Regina S. Klipper is a Philadelphia woman who said money was extorted from her in a New York hotel when she was found there with a man member of the extortion combination, which secret service agents say has operated in several large cities. She is relied on for testimony against several of those under arrest. Mrs. Helen Evers is under arrest in Chicago.

Masses Make Merry in the Public Places

BY MARGARET MASON
(Written for the United Press)

Sunday is fun day

Down in "B. A."

Out to the races

Off to the play

Down with the dance

Down with the te'

Those who are straight laced

Best stay away.

Buenos Aires, Aug. 30 (By Mail)

—Down here in the Argentine they remember the Sabbath day and keep it wholly for pleasure. In the early morning it is true the women go to Mass but the masses go to make merry in the public places.

It is smart to drive or motor every fine Sunday morning at Palermo, the big city park of Buenos Aires. Then home for an elaborate luncheon of many courses which is called breakfast here. In the afternoon to dash off to the races or a boxing match is the racy or striking thing to do topped off with a cup of te' and a dance or two at the Plaza. After a late and lengthy dinner there is always Grand Opera or the theatre. So endeth the "day of rest."

No wonder some of the papers are too exhausted to get out a Monday edition and the Art Museau hasn't the strength to open its doors. When you do pray your way into the museum on Tuesday however, you feel there is not much loss to art by its Monday closing.

At present there is a modern exhibition of the works of Zito Cittadini in an annex of the museum. New York, I am sure, would go quite mad about Zito. Most anyone would have to appreciate him.

One tafty little bit of his conservatively dubbed "A Study" seems a hectic and sanguinary portrayal of an enflamed tonsil. Several small canvases however of sea and rocks in gorgeous coloring look, at a safe distance, strangely like what they are intended for.

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The Avenida de Mayo, so starting

ly like a Parisian boulevard, is flanked at one end by the beautiful and stately capitol and at the other by the presidential palace.

An atrocious coat of old rose paint has earned for this latter edifice the name of the Rose Palace. It's more fitting sobriquet would be the "Pink Palace for Pale Presidents." Just adjacent, the cathedral in the impressive style of an old Greek temple, is also hopelessly ruined by a coat of dreadnaught grey. Just why this hankering after the paint pots is beyond me.

At the shrine of musical art, the elegant Colon theatre, where Grand Opera is adequately and artistically presented all Buenos Aires nightly does devotion.

Here the Argentine woman comes into her own and in exquisite attire she sits for the nouce in regal equality with her lord and husband. Not only to the strains of Leoncavallo, Puccini and Strauss does the pulse of the Argentine respond. He avails as repulsively to the syncopation of North American ragtime as it is mangled by every ubiquitous hotel and restaurant orchestra.

Toward the art of Isadora Duncan, however, Buenos Aires has remained unmoved.

This undraped nymph of Terpsichore, insured to the cold and drafts of many a continental stage, has been forced to retire shivering before the blighting frost of her reception here.

And while on the subject of the dance let me off immediately with this idea. The real Argentine Tango is danced only by the primitive and elemental natives outside or in the low dance halls and dives within the city. No cultured Argentine lady or gentleman could or would do this dance in its true elemental state. The Argentine tango that we know was evolved in Paris and owes little save its title to the original native dance.

Because of the associations of the name when the dance was first introduced down here the smart set were very loathe to take it up and even at its height it was danced but mildly in B. A. in comparison with its vogue in Paris and the U. S. A. So here's where your long cherished delusion about the Argentine tango goes bang.

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"Telephone companies should obtain rates to cover operating expenses, taxes and the maintenance of the property in serviceable condition. It is the duty of the officers to see that this is done. The duty of the state is to see that excessive rates are not charged, that no discrimination or other unlawful practices are engaged in and that a reasonable service is provided. We are advised that there are numerous instances of a similar nature. The plants that were installed ten and twelve years ago, in many instances,

are now almost obsolete through lack of repairs and must be entirely reconstructed or discarded, but it is up to the companies themselves and not to the state, to see that this is done."

The Thief River Falls News-Press has the following to say editorially regarding the removal of Fred T. Lincoln to Brainerd where he will assume the duties of secretary of the Chamber of Commerce:

In the loss of Fred T. Lincoln, secretary of the Commercial club, who goes to Brainerd on the 15th of October as secretary of the association of commerce of that city, Thief River Falls suffers a distinct loss. Mr. Lincoln has by his consistent work here put the commercial organization of this city in the very front rank and it is going to be indeed difficult to fill the position so ably held by him during the past two years. He has proven himself of the best and the publicity gained by this city on account of his efforts is of incalculable value.

It has been known for some time that Mr. Lincoln has had several very flattering offers by various cities, as his reputation as a live booster has been heralded far and wide. Up to the present time, however, he has turned a deaf ear to all offers, preferring to remain here until he had completed his full term of two years and until he had finished numerous plans for the advancement of the city. The call from Brainerd was of such a nature that it could not well be passed, and after giving the offer due consideration he decided to accept. The position pays considerably more than does the one here, and as Brainerd is a city of about 12,000 the opportunities are much greater there than here. It was with extreme regret that the directors learned of the decision, but in view of all of the circumstances it was thought best to accept the resignation and wish the genial secretary God speed in his new field of endeavor.

Senator Knute Nelson opened the campaign in Minnesota at Sundberg, Kandiyohi county, this afternoon, and his address is given in full in this edition of the Dispatch. It is an able document and worthy the perusal of every reader of the paper.

RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

American League.

Standing of the Clubs—Boston, .593; Chicago, .572; Detroit, .570; St. Louis, .513; New York, .512; Washington, .507; Cleveland, .500; Philadelphia, .223.

Detroit 4; St. Louis 1; Boston 3; New York 0.

American Association.

Standing of the Clubs—Louisville, .610; Indianapolis, .582; Minneapolis, .533; St. Paul, .515; Kansas City, .509; Toledo, .472; Columbus, .430; Milwaukee, .331.

Indianapolis 2; Columbus 0; Louisville 6; Toledo 4; Milwaukee 6; Kansas City 0.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Sept. 29.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$1.71%; No. 1 Northern, \$1.69%; 60/40, 70%; No. 2 Northern, \$1.63%; L.66%; Flax—On track and to arrive, \$2.50.

St. Paul Grain.

St. Paul, Sept. 29.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.65%; 60/48%; No. 2 Northern, \$1.60%; 61.65%; No. 2 Northern, \$1.65%; 61.65%; No. 3 Northern, \$1.52%; 61.65%; No. 3 Northern, \$1.44%; barley, 67c@\$1.07; rye, \$1.20@1.21; flax, \$2.32.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Sept. 29.—Wheat—Sept., \$1.66; Dec., \$1.62%; May, \$1.60; Cash close on track; No. 1 hard, \$1.69%; No. 1 Northern, \$1.65%; 60/48%; No. 2 Northern, \$1.60%; 61.65%; No. 3 Northern, \$1.52%; 61.65%; No. 3 Northern, \$1.44%; barley, 67c@\$1.07; rye, \$1.20@1.21; flax, \$2.32.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Sept. 29.—Wheat—Sept., \$1.54%; Dec., \$1.54%; May, \$1.35%; Corn—Sept., \$83%; Dec., 73%; May, 76%; Oats—Sept., 46%; Dec., 48%; May, 51%; Pork—Sept., \$28.45; Dec., \$23.35; Butter—Creameries, 29@33%; Eggs—28@29c; Poultry—Fowls, 14@16c; springs, 18c.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Sept. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500; steers, \$4.25@3.85; cows and heifers, \$4.50@7.00; calves, \$4.00@11.50; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@7.00; hogs—Receipts, 3,500; range, \$9.50@10.15; Sheep—Receipts, 1,800; lambs, \$6.25@8.50; wethers, \$5.00@7.50; ewes, \$3.00@7.25.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,600; steers, \$6.40@11.25; cows and heifers, \$8.40@9.35; calves, \$8.50@13.50; hogs—Receipts, 18,000; hogs, \$9.50@10.60; mixed, \$9.50@10.75; heavy, \$9.40@10.65; rough, \$9.40@9.50; pigs, \$6.75@9.65; Sheep—Receipts, 13,000; native, \$6.60@8.30; lambs, \$6.75@10.10.

St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, Sept. 29.—Hay—Choice timothy, \$15.00; No. 1 timothy, \$13.50@14.25; No. 1 clover, mixed, \$12.00@12.75; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$12.00@12.75; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild, \$11.75@12.50; choice upland, \$14.50; No. 1 upland, \$13.00@14.00; No. 1 midland, \$9.00@9.75; No. 1 alfalfa, \$13.50@14.25.

WHERE TO WORSHIP

Bethlehem Lutheran Church

Services Sunday morning at 10:45; Rev. E. Aas, of Minneapolis, will preach. No evening service.

Swedish Methodist Church

There will be preaching services in this church next Sunday morning and evening. C. M. Holmberg, pastor.

Evangelical Lutheran Zion Church

Corner Main and Eighth streets. English services Sunday, Oct. 1, at 7:30 p.m. Services in Long Lake township at 10:30, a.m.

People's Congregational Church

A service will be held in the Peoples church this Sunday at 3 o'clock. Rev. Sheridan will preach on the theme "A Rubicon of Life." The Bible school meets at 10:30. Everybody welcome. Rev. G. Phil Sheridan, acting minister.

Krech's School House

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Krech's school house there will be a preaching service conducted by Rev. F. W. Uhl. The service has been changed from the second to the first Sunday in the month as the pastor will be absent at conference the second Sunday. Friends are requested to bear in mind this change.

Evangelical Church N. E. Brainerd

Sunday school at 9:45. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Young Peoples Alliance at 7. Evening service at 7:45.

Teachers meeting Wednesday at 8 p.m. Midweek prayer service on Thursday at 8 p.m. Catechetical instruction 4:30 Thursday. Everybody is welcome. E. F. Brand, pastor.

Swedish Christian Bethany Church

Rev. Theo Clemens will preach next Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. His topics are: morning, "People Who Never Will be Independent"; evening, "The Harvest is Past." Sunday school meets at 10 a.m.

Young Peoples society at 6:30; Subject, "What My Denomination Expects from Its Young People." All are welcome.

Christian Science

Sunday morning service at 11. Subject, "Unreality." Golden text Isaiah 40:5. The grass withereth, the flower faileth; but the word of our God shall stand forever. Charles H. Cooper, Brat reader.

Sunday school at 10.

Wednesday evening testimony meeting at 8. Reading room open week days from 3 to 5 p.m. Camels hall, Iron Exchange.

Presbyterian Church

Morning worship and praise at 10:30 o'clock. The theme of the sermon will be "The Forgotten Dream."

The evening service will be held at 7:45 and the sermon subject will be "The Christian's Privilege." The evening chorus will sing, "He's Able and Willing," Miles.

The Sabbath school will be held at noon and the Christian Endeavor at 6:45. Miss Louise Anderson, leader. All are invited to these services. W. J. Lowrie, pastor.

First Congregational Church

On Sunday Rev. G. P. Sheridan will preach on the following subjects: Morning worship 10:30, "A Rubicon of Life"; evening worship, 7:30, "Is Christ Disappointing." Special music will be rendered at both these services. At the evening service the ladies vested choir will sing, "Bearing His Cross."

The Bible school will meet at 11:45 and the young peoples meeting at 6:45.

We invite you to worship with us. Rev. G. Phil Sheridan, minister.

The Salvation Army

Sunday services, 11 a.m. Hollings meeting. Subject, "No Compromise." Matthew 27:34. 3 p.m. Company meeting. 8 p.m. Memorial service for our departed comrade Sister Robt. Adair.

Salvation services Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Cottage prayer meeting will be held Wednesday, Oct. 4 at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Wadsworth, 1313 Broadway.

You are cordially invited to attend all of these services. V. J. Huffman, captain.

German Evangelical Church

The annual mission day will be observed on Sunday, Oct. 1st. In the morning, service beginning at 10:30; Rev. J. Ellet of Perham will speak on foreign missions.

For the service in the afternoon beginning at 2:30 we will have Rev. T. Herrmann with us and also the choir of the Little Falls church, which will

render several selections. All services will be held in the German language. The German speaking public is welcome at our services.

Sunday school at 9:30. Rev. W. Reimann, pastor.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church

15th Sunday after Trinity. 10:30 a.m. holy communion and sermon. Subject, "The Heart of God." Is God touched with our infirmities? Can God suffer?

11:30 Sunday school. Scholars are requested to note the change in time.

7:30 evening prayer and sermon.

Subject, "The Battle Sermon of St. Paul." In modern warfare armes have reverted to the old Roman style of helmet and breastplate. There is a Christian armor which covers all vulnerable points. The reason why so many fall by the wayside is they do not put on this armor. A hearty welcome to everybody.

Swedish Baptist Church

Morning worship at 10:30 with sermon by the pastor on the subject, "Prayer. It's Need, Importance and Power."

The Sunday school meets at 12 o'clock with classes for all ages.

Special prayer service at 3 p.m. Young Peoples meeting at 7 p.m. Evening service of song and sermon at 7:30. The pastor will speak on, "Revivals, Their Need and How to Have Them."

Special services beginning next Thursday evening and continuing over the following Sunday with several visiting pastors in attendance as speakers. We cordially invite one and all to attend all of these services.

First Methodist Church

Rally Day will be observed on Sunday both in the church and Sabbath school. Morning worship at 10:30 a.m. "Christian Enthusiasm" will be the theme of the sermon by the pastor, Rev. F. W. Hill.

The members of the Sunday school as well as the church are especially invited to be out and as far as possible classes to sit with their teachers. This is the last Sunday before the annual conference and the pastor is anxious to meet all the members and friends of the church at this service.

Bible school at 12 o'clock. H. F. Michael, superintendent.

Rally Day will be celebrated with a special program and every pupil is requested to make a special effort to be present. Epworth League at 6:45 o'clock. Topic, "How Money-Spending Reveals Character." Leader, Richard Warner. President, William Brauner. This will be consecration service of the month.

Evening worship at 7:45. Sermon theme by the pastor, "Peace, Past Understand." Special music, anthem, "Wake the Song," McPhail; soprano solo, Miss Lucile Darling; instrumental music by Miss Gladys Nitterauer and Miss Fern Hitt.

First Baptist Church

The annual Rally Day for the Bible school and church will be held on Sunday. The activities of the day will begin with a fifteen minute service of prayer for the workers at 9:30 a.m., followed by the Bible school rally service at 9:45 a.m. A perfect attendance of enrolled scholars in all classes is sought, with as many new scholars and visitors as possible.

The Rally Day sermon by the pastor will follow the Sunday school commencing at 11 a.m. The subject will be "An Ancient Rally with a Modern Lesson."

The mob paused in its work to hear what the minister had to say.

"Men, I beseech you in the name of God not to desecrate this holy place," pleaded Mr. Pierce. "Do not stain the name of our city by going into this terrible affair."

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"Telephone companies should obtain rates to cover operating expenses, taxes and the maintenance of the property in serviceable condition. It is the duty of the officers to see that this is done. The duty of the state is to see that excessive rates are not charged, that no discrimination or other unlawful practices are engaged in and that a reasonable service is provided. We are advised that there are numerous instances of a similar nature. The plants that were installed ten and twelve years ago, in many instances,

are now almost obsolete through lack of repairs and must be entirely reconstructed or discarded, but it is up to the companies themselves and not to the state, to see that this is done."

WHERE TO WORSHIP

Bethlehem Lutheran Church

Services Sunday morning at 10:45.
Rev. E. Aas, of Minneapolis, will preach. No evening service.

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Swedish Methodist Church

There will be preaching services in this church next Sunday morning and evening. C. M. Holmberg, pastor.

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Evangelical Lutheran Zion Church

Corner Main and Eighth streets.
English services Sunday, Oct. 1, at 7:30 p. m. Services in Long Lake township at 10:30 a. m.

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Peoples Congregational Church

A service will be held in the Peoples church this Sunday at 3 o'clock. Rev. Sheridan will preach on the theme "A Rubicon of Life." The Bible school meets at 10:30. Everybody welcome. Rev. G. Phil Sheridan, acting minister.

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Krech's School House

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Krech's school house there will be a preaching service conducted by Rev. F. W. Hill. The service has been changed from the second to the first Sunday in the month as the pastor will be absent at conference the second Sunday. Friends are requested to bear in mind this change.

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Evangelical Church N. E. Brainerd

Sunday school at 9:45.
Morning service at 11 o'clock.

Young Peoples Alliance at 7.

Evening service at 7:45.

Teachers meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. Midweek prayer service on Thursday at 8 p. m. Catechetical instruction 4:30 Thursday. Everybody is welcome. E. F. Brand, pastor.

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Swedish Christian Bethany Church

Rev. Theo Clemens will preach next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. His topics are: morning, "People Who Never Will Be Independent"; evening, "The Harvest is Past." Sunday school meets at 10 a. m.

Young Peoples society at 6:30. Subject, "What My Denomination Expects from Its Young People." All are welcome.

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Christian Science

Sunday morning service at 11. Sub-

ject: "Unreality." Golden text Isaiah 40:8. The grass withereth, the flower fadeth; but the word of our God shall stand forever. Charles H. Cooper, reader.

Sunday school at 10.

Wednesday evening testimony meeting at 8. Reading room open week days from 3 to 5 p. m. Camels hall, Iron Exchange.

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Presbyterian Church

Morning worship and praise at 10:30 o'clock. The theme of the sermon will be "The Forgotten Dream."

The evening service will be held at 7:45 and the sermon subject will be "The Christian's Privilege."

The evening chorus will sing, "He's Able and willing," Miles.

The Sabbath school will be held at noon and the Christian Endeavor at 6:15. Miss Louise Anderson, leader. All are invited to these services. W. J. Lowrie, pastor.

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First Congregational Church

On Sunday Rev. G. P. Sheridan will preach on the following subjects: Morning worship 10:30, "A Rubicon of Life"; evening worship, 7:30, "Is Christ Disappointing?" Special music will be rendered at both these services.

At the evening service the ladies' vested choir will sing, "Bearing His Cross."

The Bible school will meet at 11:45 and the young peoples meeting at 6:45.

We invite you to worship with us. Rev. G. Phil Sheridan, minister.

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The Salvation Army

Sunday services, 11 a. m. Holliness meeting. Subject, "No Compromise." Matthew 27:34. 3 p. m. Company meeting. 8 p. m. Memorial service for our departed comrade Sister Robt. Adair.

Salvation services Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Cottage prayer meeting will be held Wednesday, Oct. 4 at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Wadsworth, 1313 Broadway.

You are cordially invited to attend all of these services. V. J. Huffman, captain.

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German Evangelical Church

The annual mission day will be observed on Sunday, Oct. 1st. In the morning, service beginning at 10:30. Rev. J. Eitel of Perham will speak on foreign missions.

For the service in the afternoon beginning at 2:30 we will have Rev. T. Hermann with us and also the choir of the Little Falls church, which will

render several selections. All services will be held in the German language. The German speaking public is welcome at our services.

Sunday school at 9:30. Rev. W. Reinmann, pastor.

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St. Paul's Episcopal Church

15th Sunday after Trinity. 10:30 a. m. holy communion and sermon. Subject, "The Heart of God." Is God touched with our infirmities? Can God suffer?

11:30 Sunday school. Scholars are requested to note the change in time.

7:30 evening prayer and sermon.

Subject, "The Battle Sermon of St. Paul." In modern warfare armies have reverted to the old Roman style of helmet and breastplate. There is a Christian armor which covers all vulnerable points. The reason why so many fall by the wayside is they do not put on this armor. A hearty welcome to everybody.

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Swedish Baptist Church

Morning worship at 10:30 with sermon by the pastor on the subject, "Prayer. It's Need, Importance and Power."

The Sunday school meets at 12 o'clock with classes for all ages.

Special prayer service at 3 p. m.

Young Peoples meeting at 7 p. m.

Evening service of song and sermon at 7:30. The pastor will speak on, "Revivals; Their Need and How to Have Them."

Special services beginning next Thursday evening and continuing over the following Sunday with several visiting pastors in attendance as speakers. We cordially invite one and all to attend all of these services.

Alex B. Colvin, pastor. Corner Oak and 10th Streets.

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First Methodist Church

Rally Day will be observed on Sunday both in the church and Sabbath school. Morning worship at 10:30 A. M. "Christian Enthusiasm" will be the theme of the sermon by the pastor, Rev. F. W. Hill. The members of the Sunday school as well as the church are especially invited to be out and as far as possible classes to sit with their teachers. This is the last Sunday before the annual conference and the pastor is anxious to meet all the members and friends of the church at this service.

Bible school at 12 o'clock. H. F. Michael, superintendent. Rally Day.

It will be celebrated with a special program and every pupil is requested to make a special effort to be present. Epworth League at 6:45 o'clock. Topic, "How Money-Spending Reveals Character." Leader, Richard Warner. President, William Brauner. This will be consecration service of the month.

Evening worship at 7:45. Sermon theme by the pastor, "Peace, Past Understand." Special music, anthem, "Wake the Song," McPhail; soprano solo, Miss Lucie Darling; instrumental music by Miss Gladys Nitterauer and Miss Fern Hitt.

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The annual Rally Day for the Bible school and church will be held on Sunday. The activities of the day will begin with a fifteen minute service of prayer for the workers at 9:30 a. m., followed by the Bible school rally service at 9:45 a. m. A perfect attendance of enrolled scholars in all classes is sought, with as many new scholars and visitors as possible. The Rally Day sermon by the pastor will follow the Sunday school commencing at 11 a. m. The subject will be "An Ancient Rally with a Modern Lesson."

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The pastor will give the graduating address on the subject, "What is in Thine Hand?" Dr. Joseph Nicholson, president of the Crow Wing county Sunday school association will present the diplomas. This is the first class in Crow Wing county to graduate in the advanced course of teacher training and the service should be largely attended. Let everyone be at the rally. R. E. Cody, pastor.

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Later Prevails.

Nowata, Okla., Sept. 30.—Two negroes, accused of being implicated in the killing of Deputy Sheriff James Gibson in a jail delivery here were taken from the jail by a mob and lynched in front of the court house.

A first attempt to lynch one of the negroes immediately after their capture was frustrated by Rev. Perry E. Pierce, a Methodist Episcopal minister, who pleaded with the mob until the suspended negro was cut down unconscious, but alive.

The mob dispersed, but public feeling was not allayed, and the mob returned later.

Negroes Break Jail.

Events culminating in the double lynching moved with dramatic swiftness. Three negro prisoners escaped from the county jail. Sheriff James May was knocked down and robbed of his pistol. Gibson went to his aid and was shot to death.

It was only a few minutes after the negroes gained their freedom that a mob bent on vengeance was in pursuit. Two of the negroes took refuge in a house in the outskirts of Nowata where they were surrounded and arrested.

The third negro apparently escaped. One of the re-arrested negroes, John Foreman, alleged to have been the man who killed Gibson, was wounded when taken into custody and was not molested, but the unwounded negro was seized by the mob which had grown to large proportions and a parade through the principal streets began with the negro screaming for mercy at a rope's end.

Churchyard Tree Attracts.

When the mob reached the Methodist church, a large tree with outspreading branches offered the opportunity which the rope suggested.

"Let's lynch the negro on holy ground," shouted some one in the crowd. The prisoner was swing clear of the ground and was being choiced to death when Rev. Mr. Pierce appealed.

The mob paused in its work to hear what the minister had to say.

"Men, I beseech you in the name of God not to desecrate this holy place," pleaded Mr. Pierce. "Do not stain the name of our city by going into this terrible affray."

One of the mob leaders, turning to his followers, said: "Men, Mr. Pierce is right. Take the negro back to jail and let the law take its course."

A short time later the mob again seized the negroes.

TOMORROW

MEATPRICES SHOW INCREASE

Agricultural Department Figures Indi-
cate 23.7 Per Cent Advance.

Washington, Sept. 30.—Prices of meat animals were 23.7 per cent higher Sept. 15 than on the same day of last year—and showed an increase over Aug. 15 of this year of 4.1 per cent, according to the agricultural department.

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Brainerd vs St. Paul, won....	1	2
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Radicishes Celery on Branch
Fricassée of Chicken Family Style

Hungarian Goulasche

Whipped Potatoes Cauliflower

Apple Fritters Golden Sauce

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Oyster Cocktail

Chicken Bouillon in Cups

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REACHES FOR GUN, IS SHOT IN HAND

James Miller, on the Jim Grassier Place, Victim of Unfortunate Accident

TRIGGER CAUGHT IN A TWIG

Hired Man Handled up the Gun to Miller on Load of Hay and it Was Discharged

The accidental discharge of a shotgun late Friday afternoon cost James Miller two fingers and half his left hand. Miller was on a load of hay and the hired man, James Wilson, at his request handed him his shotgun.

The trigger caught in a twig and the gun was fired pointblank at the unfortunate man. Had he been squarely in the line of fire it would have blown off the top of his head.

With blood streaming from his wounds, Miller helped hitch up a horse and with Wilson drove to town, from the section 19 farm, as the place is known. It is located near Mud Lake near land owned by Dr. J. A. Thabes.

Half way to town the horse gave out and just barely staggered along. George R. West happened to drive along in his Ford and he picked up the wounded man and got him to St. Joseph hospital. Miller is 55 years old and a single man.

JUDGMENTS VS CITY

Five Filed to Cover Balances Due on Licenses Terminated by the City

Five judgments have been taken against the city to cover liquor license refunds due from the city. These are:

July 19, by Duluth Brewing & Malting Co. \$ 429.40
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Aug. 22, by Minneapolis Brewing Co. 436.80
Sept. 14, by O'Brien Mercantile Co. 325.16
Total of \$1,656.26

AT THE MINES

The Thompson Pit at Crosby is Shipping 50 Cars Daily. Meacham Stockpiling

The stock pile at the Cuyuna-Duluth mine is about shipped. The Potts Exploration Co. has placed a drill near Wolford. It is said there is to be a revival of drilling in the Clearwater district on the south range to the south of Deerwood. The Thompson pit at Crosby is working day and night and shipping 50 cars a day. The Meacham at Crosby is stockpiling.

SUED BY HOUSEKEEPER, FILES MARRIAGE OFFER

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Women Interested In Suits

Should see our window. We have something today which cannot but attract.

"MICHAEL'S"

Rev. A. Zabel, Superintendent Evangelical Association Washington Mission Conference

HAY FEVER HAS DISAPPEARED

Former Brainerd Pastor writes Brainerd Dispatch an Interesting Letter of Experiences

The Brainerd Dispatch has received an interesting letter from Rev. A. Zabel, superintendent of the Evangelical Association Washington Mission Conference, stationed at Spokane, Wash., and it shows that the former Brainerd pastor has not lost his interest in Brainerd church and friends. He writes as follows:

"I am still interested in Brainerd, and although most of the Brainerd people have undoubtedly forgotten me, nevertheless I thought I would write a short letter to let the few who still remember me know what I am doing. It is almost a year and a half since I left Brainerd and made my home in Spokane, Wash. I must say that I have enjoyed my work here very much and still more the climate and fruit. While we read in the papers of heat prostrations in the east, we could cover up with two blankets at night. The hay fever which tortured me every year for fifteen years has not been able to follow my tracks across the mountains, as I have felt nothing of it here."

Washington is dry, and it is a great success in every way. Our street lights are still burning at night. The great majority of the business men who were against prohibition a year ago are now very much for it, as their business and collections are from 20 to 30% better than they were before the saloons closed.

I am glad to note that Brainerd is still dry, but the wet border line is so near that it must be pretty hard to keep it very dry. Why not make the whole state dry next time. I have only seen one man drunk since Jan. 1st, 1916, while before that time you could see at least a dozen every day in Spokane. Tramps by the hundreds before the saloons closed, but we have sent most of them to Montana and California and some to Minnesota.

The wheat and fruit crop throughout the state are good. Wheat from 30 to 40 bushels to the acre is not bad.

In my church work things are moving forward slowly. People are still moving out here from the east, some bring their religion with them and others lose it coming over the mountains.

I see that most of the ministers who were in Brainerd when I was there are still on the job. Since I travel from church to church and from preacher to preacher, I find quite a difference in churches and preachers and I must say that Brainerd has a fine set of preachers such as you do not find everywhere.

I see that my little flock in Northeastern Brainerd is still very much alive and they are doing things.

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By lameness and urinary disorders

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Here's Brainerd testimony.

Verify it if you wish:

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The act of Aug. 4, 1914, made no change in the tax rate, but removed some other restrictions which were not germane after the passage of the federal reserve law. The war in Europe, which was impending in July and broke out in the early days of August, 1914, threatened our country as great as in the fiscal years 1914 and 1915 as in the fiscal years 1911 and 1912, yet the duties collected each of those years were over one hundred million dollars less, thus demonstrating that even as a revenue producer the Underwood law was not equal to the Payne tariff law. In view of these facts it is, therefore, idle for Democrats to claim that it was the war that necessitated the passage of this additional internal revenue act. It was because the Underwood law was not as good a revenue producer as the Payne tariff act. The Democrats have proved themselves incompetent to enact even a "tariff for revenue only" law.

Tariff Protection Destroyed.

President Wilson was inaugurated the 4th of March, 1913. Although our country was then in a most prosperous condition, under the Republican tariff law of 1909, yet his first purpose was to uproot and destroy this system of tariff protection and to substitute therefor a so-called free trade, or "tariff for revenue only," system. In pursuance of this policy, he summoned congress in extra session; and congress, in obedience to such summons, met on the 7th day of April 1913. In his message he declared that:

"I have called the congress together in extraordinary session because a duty laid upon the party in power at the recent elections which it ought to perform promptly, in order that the burden carried by the people under existing law may be lightened as soon as possible and in order also that

it might be to the period of circulation.

Federal Reserve System.

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I can not find that the trade commission has so far judicially passed upon any case involving unfair methods of competition in commerce, or that it has, by its action in any case, put a stop to unfair methods of competition or granted substantial relief. I can find no information bearing directly on this matter in the annual report of the commission of June 30, 1915. On the 29th day of August, last, I addressed and mailed to the commission a letter asking for further information as to its work. This information has not yet been furnished.

Child Labor Law.

Another matter of legislation for which the Democracy will claim great credit is the so-called child-labor act. In reference to this, it can be said that there are only some three or four states in the Union that did not have on their statute books suitable and adequate child-labor laws, and in these few states, where the laws were imperfect and deficient, I have no doubt but what they would in due time have enacted the necessary laws.

The new system had nothing to do with staying the threatened panic of 1914. That panic was stayed partly by closing the stock exchange, partly by clearing-house certificates, and largely by the currency taken out under the Aldrich-Vreeland law. So far the new system has been mostly a burden to the member banks. Except in the five cases mentioned, they have received no dividends and have lost the 2 per cent interest on their reserves which they formerly secured. The system has added no new capital or new wealth to our country. Our prosperity and our abundance of money has come from our immense exports and the high prices resulting from the European war. Part of the proceeds of our exports have been invested in foreign bonds, but the great bulk of it has found its way into the coffers of the banks and the circulation of the country.

Other Democratic Legislation.

In the spring of 1914 the administration gave out, through the public press and otherwise, that a trilogy of bills would be introduced and passed to remedy most of theills and wants of our industrial and economic system. The general purpose, it was declared, was to repress, regulate, and control all trusts and monopolies and all the great business interests of the country. These proposed bills were afterwards introduced and turned out to be as follows:

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Second. A bill "to supplement existing laws against unlawful restraints and monopolies, and for other purposes," introduced in the house April 14, 1914. This bill was commonly called in its transit through the two houses the Clayton anti-injunction bill.

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condition, capable of exercising. It seems to me that no good American citizen can fail to rejoice over, and have a pride in, the great work and the great record we have wrought in the Philippine Islands. The record of England in India, of France in Cochinchina, or of Holland in Sumatra and Borneo, can bear no comparison with the great work we have wrought in the Philippine Islands. Those islands, by reason of their location in the heart of the Orient, are a great asset to us in extending our commerce in the oriental countries, and our flag, representing our guardianship and our government, is a still greater asset to them. They are still only partially developed and still only partially fit for self-government. Under our flag and under our supervision, they will, in the years to come, gradually coalesce and grow in strength and manhood and become a homogeneous nation. The great mass of the people are more than satisfied with our government and our supervision. They prefer that to an oligarchy of scheming native politicians, who, in exploitation of themselves, are shouting "Independence."

President Wilson and the Democratic party have taken up this shout and have advocated the scuttling of the islands. Shall that Admiral Dewey and President McKinley, the American soldiers, and the American school teachers have wrought for these people and those islands go for naught? The odor of the Republican party is upon it, and, therefore, it is a stench in the nostrils of the Democracy, and, therefore, the islands should be scuttled. The Philippine bill, with the scuttling Clarke amendment, passed the senate by the narrowest kind of a majority, the vote of the vice president deciding it. When the bill reached the house, we hoped that Wilson would at least be neutral, but such was not the case. He proved to be as much of a scuttler as Senator Clarke. But fortunately there were about thirty northern Democrats who united with the Republicans in defeating the nefarious and unpatriotic scheme.

Rural Credit Legislation.